

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-08

INFO OCT-01 AF-08 IO-13 ISO-00 FEA-01 AGRE-00 CEA-01  
CIAE-00 COME-00 DODE-00 FRB-03 H-01 INR-07 INT-05  
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R 241135Z JAN 77  
FM AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3470  
INFO USMISSION GENEVA  
USMISSION USUN NEW YORK

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: ETRD, MTN  
SUBJECT: MTN: US NEGOTIATING OBJECTIVES

REF: 76 STATE 308918

1. EMBASSY CAN IDENTIFY NO RPT NO TARIFF CONCESSIONS  
ON COUNTRY TARIFF LINE BASIS WHICH SHOULD BE REQUESTED  
BY US IN ORDER TO BENEFIT SPECIFIC US EXPORT PRODUCTS.  
SUDAN OFFERS PREFERENTIAL TARIFF TREATMENT ONLY TO  
EGYPT AND THESE ITEMS GENERALLY NOT EXPORTED BY US  
TO SUDAN. SUDANESE TARIFFS ARE PRIMARILY FOR REVENUE  
AND THERE IS NO EVIDENCE THAT US EXPORTS SIGNIFICANTLY  
HAMPERED BY PROTECTIVE TARIFFS.

2. GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT AND TRADING PRACTICES DO NOT  
DISCRIMINATE AGAINST US PRODUCTS.

3. WE DO NOT BELIEVE SUDANESE GOVERNMENT WILL MAKE  
MEANINGFUL CONTRIBUTION TO MTN NEGOTIATIONS.

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WE HAVE SEEN NO EVIDENCE THAT GOS HAS FOCUSED  
UPON THIS ASPECT OF THEIR TRADE RELATIONS. BREWER

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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
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